

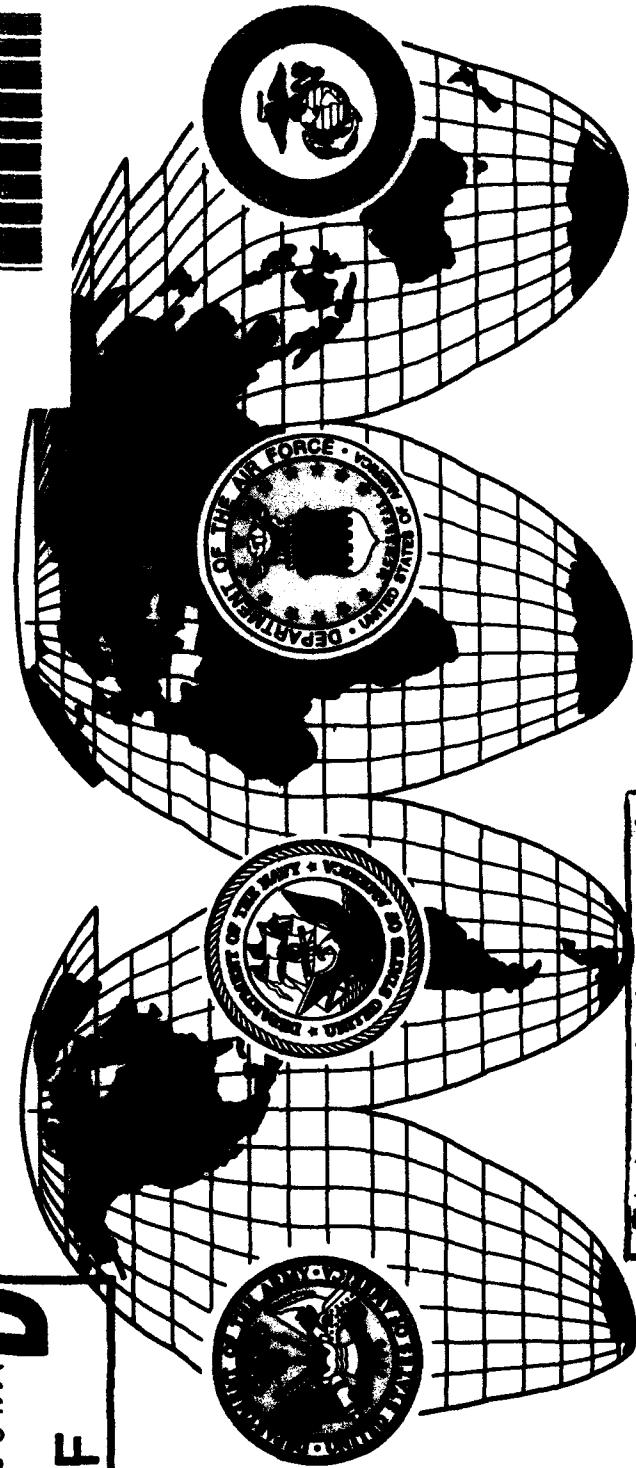
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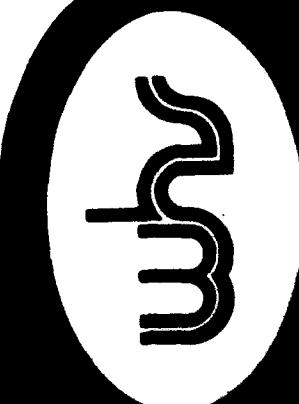


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FOREWORD

This publication provides data on worldwide active duty military personnel casualties as reported during the period October 1979 through March 1994. It is intended to provide summary information for the Office of the Secretary of Defense and various other Department of Defense (DoD) and Federal Government offices. A related list which contains additional detailed data on Military Service, name, pay grade, date of death, and home of record for all active duty military personnel who have died since October 1, 1979, is compiled annually. This list, entitled "Worldwide U.S. Active Duty Military Deaths, Alphabetical Index by Name (ST33)," is available from the following sources:

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TABLE 1
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
COMPARISON OF MILITARY PERSONNEL STRENGTH AND DEATHS

		TOTAL		Deaths Per 100,000
Fiscal Year As Of September 30	Military Personnel Strength	Deaths Reported		
1980	2,050,627	2,390		117
1981	2,082,560	2,420		116
1982	2,108,612	2,310		110
1983	2,123,349	2,202		104
1984	2,138,157	2,311		108
1985	2,151,032	2,014		94
1986	2,169,112	2,241		103
1987	2,174,217	1,991		92
1988	2,138,213	1,845		86
1989	2,130,229	1,678		79
1990	2,043,705	1,526		75
1991	1,984,967	1,787		90
1992	1,807,177	1,332		74
1993	1,705,103	1,244		73

TABLE 1A
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
COMPARISON OF MILITARY PERSONNEL STRENGTH AND DEATHS

ARMY			
Fiscal Year As of September 30	Military Personnel Strength	Deaths Reported	Deaths Per 100,000
1980	777,036	889	114
1981	781,419	946	121
1982	780,391	954	122
1983	779,643	831	107
1984	780,180	806	103
1985	780,787	824	106
1986	780,980	1,036	133
1987	780,815	764	98
1988	771,847	702	91
1989	769,741	597	78
1990	732,403	632	86
1991	710,233	761	107
1992	610,450	490	80
1993	572,423	468	82

TABLE 1B
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
COMPARISON OF MILITARY PERSONNEL STRENGTH AND DEATHS

NAVY

Fiscal Year As of September 30	Military Personnel Strength	Deaths		
		Deaths Reported	Per 100,000	131
1980	527,153	693		
1981	540,219	641		119
1982	552,996	562		102
1983	557,573	617		111
1984	564,638	583		103
1985	570,705	537		94
1986	581,119	544		94
1987	586,842	602		103
1988	592,570	560		95
1989	592,652	524		88
1990	579,417	430		74
1991	570,262	505		89
1992	541,883	415		77
1993	509,950	374		73

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TABLE 1C
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
COMPARISON OF MILITARY PERSONNEL STRENGTH AND DEATHS

AIR FORCE			
Fiscal Year As of September 30	Military Personnel Strength	Deaths Reported	Deaths Per 100,000
1980	557,969	520	93
1981	570,302	564	99
1982	582,845	543	93
1983	592,044	491	83
1984	597,125	465	78
1985	601,515	427	71
1986	608,199	429	71
1987	607,035	426	70
1988	576,446	385	67
1989	570,880	337	59
1990	535,233	302	57
1991	510,432	297	58
1992	470,315	251	53
1993	444,351	243	55

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TABLE 1D
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
COMPARISON OF MILITARY PERSONNEL STRENGTH AND DEATHS

MARINE CORPS

Fiscal Year As Of September 30	Military Personnel Strength	Deaths Reported	Deaths Per 100,000
1980	188,469	288	153
1981	190,620	269	141
1982	192,380	251	130
1983	194,089	263	136
1984	196,214	457	233
1985	198,025	226	114
1986	198,814	232	117
1987	199,525	199	100
1988	197,350	198	100
1989	196,956	220	112
1990	196,652	162	82
1991	194,040	224	115
1992	184,529	176	95
1993	178,379	159	89

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TABLE 2
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY CASUALTIES
BY CASUALTY GROUP AND MILITARY SERVICE
OCTOBER 1978 THROUGH MARCH 1984

CASUALTY GROUP		USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
DEATHS						
HOSTILE	- Killed in Action	129	75	22	261	487
	Died of Wounds	6	1	0	5	12
	Died While Missing	0	0	0	1	1
	Died While Captured	0	1	0	0	1
	Died In Terrorist Action	27	0	0	2	29
	TOTAL	162	77	22	269	530
NONHOSTILE	- Accident	6,561	4,760	3,346	2,143	16,810
	Illness	2,140	1,326	1,268	307	5,041
	Homicide	686	417	209	206	1,518
	Self Inflicted	1,331	883	931	391	3,536
	Pending	62	245	16	70	393
	TOTAL	10,780	7,631	5,770	3,117	27,298
TOTAL DEATHS		10,942	7,708	5,792	3,386	27,828
MISSING	- Missing in Action	0	0	0	0	0
	Captured/Interned	0	0	0	0	0
	TOTAL	0	0	0	0	0
NONHOSTILE	- Missing	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL MISSING		0	0	0	0	0
RETURNED TO MILITARY CONTROL (RMC)						
FROM Missing in Action		0	0	0	3	3
	Captured/Other	19	9	13	15	56
	Nonhostile Missing	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL RMC		19	9	13	18	59

TABLE 3
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
BY CASUALTY TYPE AND MILITARY SERVICE
OCTOBER 1993 THROUGH MARCH 1994

CASUALTY TYPE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
HOSTILE - Killed in Action	0	0	0	0	0
Died of Wounds	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Missing	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Captured	0	0	0	0	0
Died In Terrorist Action	19	0	0	0	19
 TOTAL	 19	 0	 0	 0	 19
NONHOSTILE - Accident	122	59	44	35	260
Illness	48	18	21	6	93
Homicide	13	11	2	6	32
Self Inflicted	38	17	23	13	91
Pending	2	16	22	2	42
 TOTAL	 223	 121	 112	 62	 518
 TOTAL DEATHS	 242	 121	 112	 62	 537

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TABLE 3
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
BY CASUALTY TYPE AND MILITARY SERVICE
FISCAL YEAR 1983

CASUALTY TYPE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
HOSTILE - Killed in Action	0	0	0	0	0
Died of Wounds	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Missing	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Captured	0	0	0	0	0
Died In Terrorist Action	8	0	2	0	10
 TOTAL	 8	 0	 0	 2	 10
NONHOSTILE - Accident	245	206	121	94	666
Illness	84	67	54	10	215
Homicide	44	24	7	12	8
Self Inflicted	84	60	60	35	239
Pending	3	17	1	6	27
 TOTAL	 460	 374	 243	 157	 1,234
 TOTAL DEATHS	 468	 374	 243	 159	 1,244

TABLE 3
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
BY CASUALTY TYPE AND MILITARY SERVICE
FISCAL YEAR 1992

CASUALTY TYPE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
HOSTILE - Killed in Action	1	0	0	0	1
Died of Wounds	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Missing	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Captured	0	0	0	0	0
Died In Terrorist Action	0	0	0	0	0
 TOTAL	 1	 0	 0	 0	 1
NONHOSTILE - Accident	247	223	129	113	712
Illness	105	73	53	21	252
Homicide	47	39	12	15	113
Self Inflicted	86	60	53	20	219
Pending	4	20	4	7	35
 TOTAL	 489	 415	 251	 176	 1,331
 TOTAL DEATHS	 490	 415	 251	 176	 1,332

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WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
BY CASUALTY TYPE AND MILITARY SERVICE
FISCAL YEAR 1991

CASUALTY TYPE		USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
HOSTILE	- Killed in Action	85	6	20	22	143
	Died of Wounds	2	0	0	2	4
	Died While Missing	0	0	0	0	0
	Died While Captured	0	0	0	0	0
	Died In Terrorist Action	0	0	0	0	0
	TOTAL	97	6	20	24	147
NONHOSTILE - Accident		370	294	127	141	932
	Illness	151	87	64	20	322
	Homicide	40	38	18	12	101
	Self Inflicted	97	52	62	21	232
	Pending	6	28	6	6	46
	TOTAL	664	499	277	200	1,640
TOTAL DEATHS		761	505	297	224	1,787

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WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
BY CASUALTY TYPE AND MILITARY SERVICE
FISCAL YEAR 1990

CASUALTY TYPE		USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
HOSTILE	- Killed in Action	15	4	0	1	20
	Died of Wounds	3	0	0	0	3
	Died While Missing	0	0	0	1	1
	Died While Captured	0	0	0	0	0
	Died In Terrorist Action	0	0	0	0	0
	TOTAL	18	4	0	2	24
NONHOSTILE - Accident		357	243	164	100	864
	Illness	123	73	69	10	275
	Homicide	25	23	10	13	71
	Self Inflicted	104	55	58	33	250
	Pending	5	32	1	4	42
	TOTAL	614	426	302	160	1,502
TOTAL DEATHS		632	430	302	162	1,526

TABLE 3
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
BY CASUALTY TYPE AND MILITARY SERVICE
FISCAL YEAR 1988

CASUALTY TYPE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
HOSTILE - Killed in Action	0	0	0	0	0
Died of Wounds	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Missing	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Captured	0	0	0	0	0
Died In Terrorist Action	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	0	0	0	0	0
NONHOSTILE - Accident	375	343	175	164	1,057
Illness	107	81	96	17	301
Homicide	23	24	6	6	59
Self Inflicted	76	57	59	29	221
Pending	16	19	1	4	40
TOTAL	597	524	337	220	1,678
TOTAL DEATHS	597	524	337	220	1,678

TABLE 3
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
BY CASUALTY TYPE AND MILITARY SERVICE
FISCAL YEAR 1986

CASUALTY TYPE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
HOSTILE - Killed in Action	0	2	0	0	2
Died of Wounds	0	1	0	0	1
Died While Missing	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Captured	0	0	0	0	0
Died In Terrorist Action	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	0	3	0	0	3
NONHOSTILE - Accident	422	348	199	135	1,104
Illness	138	93	70	23	324
Homicide	42	28	18	11	99
Self Inflicted	97	71	98	25	291
Pending	3	17	0	4	24
TOTAL	702	557	385	198	1,842
TOTAL DEATHS	702	560	385	198	1,845

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BY CASUALTY TYPE AND MILITARY SERVICE
FISCAL YEAR 1987

CASUALTY TYPE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
HOSTILE - Killed in Action	1	37	0	0	38
• Died of Wounds	0	0	0	0	0
• Died While Missing	0	0	0	0	0
• Died While Captured	0	0	0	0	0
• Died In Terrorist Action	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	1	37	0	0	38
NONHOSTILE - Accident	465	326	244	136	1,171
• Illness	162	116	93	26	397
• Homicide	52	23	9	13	97
• Self Inflicted	82	83	79	19	263
• Pending	2	17	1	5	25
TOTAL	763	565	426	199	1,953
TOTAL DEATHS	764	602	426	199	1,991

TABLE 3
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
BY CASUALTY TYPE AND MILITARY SERVICE
FISCAL YEAR 1986

CASUALTY TYPE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
HOSTILE - Killed in Action	0	0	2	0	2
Died of Wounds	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Missing	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Captured	0	0	0	0	0
Died In Terrorist Action	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	0	0	2	0	2
NONHOSTILE - Accident	722	339	258	154	1,473
Illness	151	92	85	31	359
Homicide	48	27	26	13	114
Self Inflicted	110	67	58	27	262
Pending	5	19	0	7	31
TOTAL	1,036	544	427	232	2,239
TOTAL DEATHS	1,036	544	429	232	2,241

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BY CASUALTY TYPE AND MILITARY SERVICE
FISCAL YEAR 1985

CASUALTY TYPE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
HOSTILE - Killed in Action	0	0	0	4	4
Died of Wounds	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Missing	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Captured	0	1	0	0	1
Died In Terrorist Action	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	0	1	0	4	5
NONHOSTILE - Accident	483	326	243	162	1,214
Illness	163	110	108	19	400
Homicide	52	25	9	11	97
Self Inflicted	123	57	67	26	273
Pending	3	18	0	4	25
TOTAL	824	536	427	222	2,009
TOTAL DEATHS	824	537	427	226	2,014

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BY CASUALTY TYPE AND MILITARY SERVICE
FISCAL YEAR 1984

CASUALTY TYPE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
HOSTILE - Killed in Action	16	25	0	230	271
Died of Wounds	1	0	0	2	3
Died While Missing	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Captured	0	0	0	0	0
Died In Terrorist Action	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	17	25	0	232	274
NONHOSTILE - Accident	504	362	301	168	1,335
Illness	162	106	92	19	379
Homicide	42	23	19	10	94
Self Inflicted	79	59	53	24	215
Pending	2	8	0	4	14
TOTAL	789	558	465	225	2,037
TOTAL DEATHS	806	583	465	457	2,311

TABLE 3
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
BY CASUALTY TYPE AND MILITARY SERVICE
FISCAL YEAR 1983

CASUALTY TYPE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
HOSTILE - Killed in Action	0	1	0	4	5
Died of Wounds	0	0	0	1	1
Died While Missing	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Captured	0	0	0	0	0
Died In Terrorist Action	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	0	1	0	5	6
NONHOSTILE - Accident	518	403	311	177	1,409
Illness	174	101	111	27	413
Homicide	57	36	7	14	114
Self Inflicted	79	65	61	30	235
Pending	3	11	1	10	25
TOTAL	831	616	491	258	2,196
TOTAL DEATHS	831	617	491	263	2,202

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BY CASUALTY TYPE AND MILITARY SERVICE
FISCAL YEAR 1982

CASUALTY TYPE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
HOSTILE - Killed in Action	0	0	0	0	0
Died of Wounds	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Missing	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Captured	0	0	0	0	0
Died In Terrorist Action	0	0	0	0	0
 TOTAL	 0	 0	 0	 0	 0
 NONHOSTILE - Accident	 590	 385	 349	 176	 1,500
Illness	201	90	117	29	437
Homicide	58	22	17	16	113
Self Inflicted	99	56	60	28	243
Pending	6	9	0	2	17
 TOTAL	 954	 562	 543	 251	 2,310
 TOTAL DEATHS	 954	 562	 543	 251	 2,310

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FISCAL YEAR 1981

CASUALTY TYPE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
HOSTILE - Killed in Action	0	0	0	0	0
Died of Wounds	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Missing	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Captured	0	0	0	0	0
Died In Terrorist Action	0	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	0	0	0	0	0
NONHOSTILE - Accident	569	426	359	182	1,536
Illness	207	117	120	29	47
Homicide	79	31	27	23	160
Self Inflicted	89	63	57	33	242
Pending	2	4	1	2	9
TOTAL	946	641	564	269	2,420
TOTAL DEATHS	946	641	564	269	2,420

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BY CASUALTY TYPE AND MILITARY SERVICE
FISCAL YEAR 1980

CASUALTY TYPE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
HOSTILE - Killed in Action	1	0	0	0	1
Died of Wounds	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Missing	0	0	0	0	0
Died While Captured	0	0	0	0	0
Died In Terrorist Action	0	0	0	0	0
 TOTAL	1	0	0	0	1
 NONHOSTILE - Accident	572	477	322	206	1,577
Illness	164	102	115	20	401
Homicide	64	43	22	31	160
Self Inflicted	86	61	61	28	236
Pending	2	10	0	3	15
 TOTAL	888	693	520	288	2,389
 TOTAL DEATHS	889	693	520	288	2,390

TABLE 4
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
BY HOME STATE OF RECORD AND MILITARY SERVICE
OCTOBER 1979 THROUGH MARCH 1994

HOME STATE OF RECORD	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
ALABAMA	304	152	117	61	634
ALASKA	44	9	7	1	61
ARIZONA	115	114	80	63	372
ARKANSAS	176	60	59	32	327
CALIFORNIA	769	672	500	307	2,248
COLORADO	132	115	69	45	361
CONNECTICUT	114	85	71	43	313
DELAWARE	41	32	16	8	97
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	46	18	13	9	86
FLORIDA	579	419	314	186	1,498
GEORGIA	367	217	134	70	788
HAWAII	46	33	32	4	115
IDAHO	59	42	32	21	154
ILLINOIS	437	309	270	181	1,197
INDIANA	273	160	153	77	663
IOWA	124	86	64	42	316
KANSAS	108	91	72	24	295
KENTUCKY	183	82	88	57	410
LOUISIANA	197	118	109	63	487
MAINE	70	51	38	28	187
MARYLAND	216	152	85	70	523
MASSACHUSETTS	189	150	130	69	538
MICHIGAN	389	335	178	140	1,042
MINNESOTA	169	139	104	57	469
MISSISSIPPI	189	82	66	30	367

TABLE 4
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
BY HOME STATE OF RECORD AND MILITARY SERVICE
OCTOBER 1978 THROUGH MARCH 1984

HOME STATE OF RECORD	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
MISSOURI	229	182	152	75	638
MONTANA	47	37	30	8	122
NEBRASKA	72	60	57	26	215
NEVADA	41	28	16	11	96
NEW HAMPSHIRE	49	34	38	14	135
NEW JERSEY	218	216	117	106	657
NEW MEXICO	83	90	63	30	266
NEW YORK	611	510	370	251	1,742
NORTH CAROLINA	409	189	151	90	839
NORTH DAKOTA	29	17	23	14	83
OHIO	460	356	278	168	1,262
OKLAHOMA	157	85	68	36	346
OREGON	119	122	74	32	347
PENNSYLVANIA	528	408	344	186	1,466
RHODE ISLAND	31	31	31	15	108
SOUTH CAROLINA	249	137	97	61	544
SOUTH DAKOTA	36	30	27	3	96
TENNESSEE	258	179	121	56	614
TEXAS	771	469	400	199	1,839
UTAH	55	26	33	11	125
VERMONT	30	18	14	8	70
VIRGINIA	379	208	118	105	810
WASHINGTON	211	175	122	72	580
WEST VIRGINIA	105	58	58	30	251
WISCONSIN	160	141	94	74	469

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TABLE 4
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
BY HOME STATE OF RECORD AND MILITARY SERVICE
OCTOBER 1979 THROUGH MARCH 1994

HOME STATE OF RECORD	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
WYOMING	27	20	13	5	65
TOTAL DEATHS(BY STATE)					
TOTAL	10,700	7,549	5,710	3,374	27,333
OTHER	242	159	82	12	495
TOTAL DEATHS	10,942	7,708	5,792	3,386	27,828

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TABLE 5
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
BY PAY GRADE AND RACE
OCTOBER 1979 THROUGH MARCH 1984

RANK / GRADE	White	Black	Asian	Other	TOTAL	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
GEN OF THE ARMY - FLEET ADM	1	0	0	0	0	1
GENERAL - ADMIRAL	2	0	0	0	0	2
LT GENERAL - VICE ADMIRAL	4	0	0	0	0	4
MAJ GENERAL - REAR ADMIRAL (U)	8	0	0	0	0	8
BRIG GENERAL - REAR ADM (L) / COMMODORE	9	0	0	0	0	9
COLONEL - CAPTAIN	209	3	0	0	1	213
LIEUTENANT COL - COMMANDER	375	14	2	4	395	
MAJOR - LT COMMANDER	570	23	2	8	603	
CAPTAIN - LIEUTENANT	1,047	60	5	10	1,122	
1st LIEUTENANT - LIEUTENANT (JG)	526	25	2	9	562	
2nd LIEUTENANT - ENSIGN	291	30	2	5	328	
WO4 CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER	84	2	1	1	88	
WO3 CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER	94	9	1	1	105	
WO2 CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER	136	9	0	5	150	
WO1 WARRANT OFFICER	60	1	0	2	63	
TOTAL OFFICERS	3,416	176	15	46	3,653	
E-09	257	40	4	8	309	
E-08	435	106	9	11	561	
E-07	1,381	284	24	36	1,725	
E-06	2,072	589	63	81	2,305	
E-05	2,988	963	47	123	4,121	
E-04	4,400	1,314	47	184	5,945	
E-03	3,713	947	45	160	4,865	
E-02	1,848	392	18	73	2,331	
E-01	1,069	319	13	42	1,443	
TOTAL ENLISTED	18,163	4,954	270	718	24,105	
TOTAL CADETS	63	5	1	1	70	
TOTAL DEATHS FOR ALL GRADES	21,642	5,135	286	765	27,828	

TABLE 6
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
BY PAY GRADE AND MILITARY SERVICE
OCTOBER 1979 THROUGH MARCH 1994

RANK / GRADE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
GEN OF THE ARMY - FLEET ADM	1	0	0	0	1
GENERAL - ADMIRAL	0	1	1	0	2
LT GENERAL - VICE ADMIRAL	0	1	2	1	4
MAJ GENERAL - REAR ADMIRAL (U)	4	3	1	0	8
BRIG GENERAL - REAR ADM (L) / COMMODORE	6	0	3	0	9
COLONEL - CAPTAIN	74	55	71	13	213
LIEUTENANT COL - COMMANDER	124	109	140	22	395
MAJOR - LT COMMANDER	137	187	222	57	603
CAPTAIN - LIEUTENANT	233	279	486	144	1,122
1st LIEUTENANT - LIEUTENANT (JG)	138	158	158	108	562
2nd LIEUTENANT - ENSIGN	88	109	103	28	328
W04 CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER	69	16	0	3	88
W03 CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER	91	10	0	4	105
W02 CHIEF WARRANT OFFICER	134	8	0	8	150
W01 WARRANT OFFICER	59	0	0	4	63
TOTAL OFFICERS	1,158	936	1,167	392	3,653
E-09	109	90	69	41	309
E-08	238	140	139	44	561
E-07	785	410	431	99	1,725
E-06	1,181	881	594	169	2,805
E-05	1,638	1,217	874	392	4,121
E-04	2,798	1,470	1,078	599	5,945
E-03	1,520	1,304	899	1,042	4,885
E-02	887	744	296	404	2,331
E-01	605	503	131	204	1,443
TOTAL ENLISTED	9,761	6,739	4,611	2,994	24,105
TOTAL CADETS	23	33	14	0	70
TOTAL DEATHS FOR ALL GRADES	10,942	7,708	5,792	3,386	27,828

TABLE 7
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
BY ATTAINED AGE AND MILITARY SERVICE
OCTOBER 1979 THROUGH MARCH 1994

ATTAINED AGE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
17	39	21	5	12	77
18	352	223	97	126	798
19	862	592	275	365	2,094
20	1,065	793	394	494	2,746
21	1,077	781	400	463	2,741
22	835	697	384	352	2,268
23	696	523	347	247	1,813
24	593	448	327	175	1,543
25	483	399	252	168	1,302
26	473	310	251	141	1,175
27	421	303	232	115	1,071
28	375	263	221	98	957
29	312	206	200	84	802
30	256	216	185	82	739
31	286	184	157	48	685
32	240	156	176	47	619
33	202	152	167	45	566
34	198	134	172	34	538
35	205	136	163	36	540
36	190	144	163	25	522
37	207	144	160	33	544
38	187	120	144	26	477
39	168	113	143	26	450
40	159	94	123	17	393
41	156	84	115	22	377

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BY ATTAINED AGE AND MILITARY SERVICE
OCTOBER 1979 THROUGH MARCH 1984

ATTAINED AGE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
42	134	78	87	18	317
43	105	74	86	12	277
44	82	53	59	6	200
45	85	57	55	14	211
46	75	47	46	7	175
47	66	42	45	7	160
48	53	20	23	2	98
49	51	22	21	6	100
50	45	25	23	2	95
51 AND OVER	199	74	94	11	378
TOTAL DEATHS	10,942	7,708	5,792	3,386	27,828

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TABLE 8
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BY PLACE OF CASUALTY AND MILITARY SERVICE
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PLACE OF CASUALTY	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
AEGEAN SEA	3	3	0	0	6
AFGHANISTAN	1	0	0	0	1
ANDAMAN SEA	0	1	0	0	1
ANTARCTICA	0	3	0	0	3
ANTIGUA & BARBUDA	1	0	0	0	1
ARABIAN SEA	0	19	0	11	30
ARGENTINA	0	1	0	0	1
AUSTRALIA	1	8	5	1	15
AUSTRIA	2	0	1	0	3
BAHAMAS, THE	0	2	0	0	2
BAHRAIN	1	10	1	1	13
BARBADOS	1	0	0	0	1
BAY OF BENGAL	0	1	0	0	1
BELGIUM	16	4	14	0	34
BERMUDA	1	7	0	1	9
BLACK SEA	1	0	0	0	1
BOLIVIA	1	0	0	2	3
BRAZIL	0	2	0	0	2
BRITISH INDIAN OCEAN TERRITORY	0	13	0	0	13
BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS	0	1	0	0	1
BULGARIA	0	0	0	1	1
CANADA	253	11	19	1	284
CARIBBEAN SEA	0	18	0	1	19
CLASSIFIED LOCATION	0	0	1	0	1
COLOMBIA	3	1	0	1	5
COSTA RICA	0	1	0	0	1

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PLACE OF CASUALTY	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
CUBA	0	21	0	6	27
CYPRUS	0	0	0	1	1
CZECHOSLOVAKIA	1	0	0	0	1
DENMARK	1	1	2	0	4
DJIBOUTI	0	0	0	1	1
DRAKE PASSAGE	0	4	1	0	5
EAST CHINA SEA	0	0	3	0	3
EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN	0	33	2	6	41
ECUADOR	4	0	0	0	4
EGYPT	21	1	18	0	40
EL SALVADOR	14	1	2	5	22
ETHIOPIA	0	0	0	1	1
FINLAND	1	0	0	0	1
FRANCE	7	9	3	11	30
FRENCH SOUTHERN AND ANTARCTIC LA	0	2	0	0	2
GERMANY	1,982	22	348	4	2,336
GIBRALTAR	1	0	0	0	1
GREECE	3	23	17	0	43
GREENLAND	0	0	1	0	1
GRENADE	12	0	0	4	16
GUATEMALA	3	0	0	0	3
GULF OF MEXICO	0	12	10	1	23
GULF OF OMAN	0	1	0	0	1
GULF OF SIAM	0	0	0	1	1
GULF OF ST. LAWRENCE	0	0	1	0	1
HONDURAS	37	3	7	1	48

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PLACE OF CASUALTY	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
HONG KONG	0	5	0	0	6
HUNGARY	0	0	0	0	1
ICELAND	0	5	1	2	8
INDIA	0	0	1	0	1
INDIAN OCEAN	0	62	11	8	81
INDONESIA	0	2	0	0	2
IONIAN SEA	0	5	0	0	5
IRAN	0	0	5	3	8
IRAQ	66	3	2	0	71
IRELAND	0	0	1	0	1
ISRAEL	7	24	2	2	35
ITALY	79	104	79	6	268
JAMAICA	0	3	0	0	3
JAPAN	13	102	93	209	417
KENYA	2	1	0	0	3
KOREA, DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUB	2	0	3	1	6
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF (S)	204	9	75	58	346
KUWAIT	10	1	1	14	26
LAKE HURON	0	0	1	0	1
LEBANON	10	23	0	235	268
LUXEMBOURG	0	0	3	0	3
MALAYSIA	1	2	0	1	4
MEXICO	5	23	3	9	40
MOROCCO	1	0	0	0	1
NAMIBIA	1	0	0	0	1
NEPAL	1	0	0	0	1

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PLACE OF CASUALTY	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
NETHERLANDS	9	0	18	1	28
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES	0	0	1	0	1
NEW ZEALAND	0	1	0	0	1
NORTH ATLANTIC OCEAN	0	183	22	21	226
NORTH PACIFIC OCEAN	0	154	4	7	165
NORTH SEA	0	0	8	5	13
NORWAY	1	0	1	11	13
NORWEGIAN SEA	0	1	0	0	1
OMAN	0	1	2	0	3
PAKISTAN	2	1	1	1	5
PANAMA	127	18	22	6	173
PARAGUAY	3	0	1	0	4
PERSIAN GULF	0	51	15	1	67
PHILIPPINE SEA	0	6	0	0	6
PHILIPPINES	9	121	77	26	233
POLAND	2	1	0	0	3
PORTUGAL	3	2	8	0	13
RED SEA	0	5	0	0	5
SAUDI ARABIA	143	3	14	43	203
SEA OF JAPAN	0	2	1	0	3
SINGAPORE	0	2	0	1	3
SOMALIA	27	0	0	4	31
SOUTH ATLANTIC OCEAN	0	3	0	0	3
SOUTH CHINA SEA	3	24	1	0	28
SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN	0	5	6	2	13
SPAIN	4	58	91	5	158

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PLACE OF CASUALTY	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
SRI LANKA	0	2	0	0	2
ST. CHRISTOPHER & NEVIS ISLANDS	0	1	0	0	1
ST. HELENA ISLAND	0	1	0	0	1
SULU SEA	0	0	12	0	12
SWITZERLAND	1	0	4	0	5
THAILAND	3	12	6	2	23
TUNISIA	0	0	1	0	1
TURKEY	16	4	62	6	88
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	0	14	6	1	21
UNITED KINGDOM	17	34	196	6	253
WESTERN MEDITERRANEAN	0	33	0	4	37
WESTERN SAMOA	0	1	0	0	1
YELLOW SEA	0	0	0	1	1
YUGOSLAVIA	0	1	0	0	1
ZAIRE	0	0	0	1	1
U.S. AND TERRITORIES					
UNITED STATES	7,783	6,210	4,444	2,603	21,040
AMERICAN SAMOA	0	7	0	0	7
FED. STATES OF MICRONESIA	2	0	0	0	2
GUAM	2	77	29	9	117
MISC. PACIFIC ISLANDS	1	1	0	0	2
PUERTO RICO	29	45	2	7	83
U. S. VIRGIN ISLANDS	1	10	0	0	11
TOTAL DEATHS	10,942	7,708	5,792	3,386	27,828

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TABLE 9
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
BY PLACE OF CASUALTY AND CASUALTY GROUP
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PLACE OF CASUALTY	TOTAL DEATHS	NON HOSTILE			DEATHS			HOSTILE	
		ACCIDENT	ILLNESS	HOMICIDE	SELF INFILCTED	PENDING	DEATHS ALL CAUSES	DEATHS HOSTILE	
AEGEAN SEA	6	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
AFGHANISTAN	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
ANDAMAN SEA	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
ANTARCTICA	3	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
ANTIGUA & BARBUDA	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ARABIAN SEA	30	25	3	0	1	1	1	0	0
ARGENTINA	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
AUSTRALIA	15	9	3	1	1	1	1	0	0
AUSTRIA	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BAHAMAS, THE	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BAHRAIN	13	6	6	1	0	0	0	0	0
BARBADOS	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BAY OF BENGAL	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
BELGIUM	34	23	10	1	1	0	0	0	0
BERMUDA	9	7	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
BLACK SEA	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BOLIVIA	3	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
BRAZIL	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
BRITISH INDIAN OCEAN TERRITORY	13	7	4	0	0	2	0	0	0
BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BULGARIA	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CANADA	284	280	3	0	0	1	0	0	0
CARIBBEAN SEA	19	13	1	0	0	1	4	0	0

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PLACE OF CASUALTY	TOTAL DEATHS	NON HOSTILE DEATHS			HOSTILE DEATHS	
		ACCIDENT	ILLNESS	MURDER MURKID	INFILCTED	PENDING
CLASSIFIED LOCATION						
COLOMBIA	1 5	0 4	1 0	0 0	0 1	0 0
COSTA RICA	1	1	0	0	0	0
CUBA	27	20	3	0	2	0
CYPRUS	1	0	0	0	0	0
CZECHOSLOVAKIA	1	1	0	0	0	0
DENMARK	4	4	0	0	0	0
DJIBOUTI	1	0	0	0	1	0
DRAKE PASSAGE	5	5	0	0	0	0
EAST CHINA SEA	3	3	0	0	0	0
EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN	41	35	3	0	1	2
ECUADOR	4	3	1	0	0	0
EGYPT	40	33	7	0	0	0
EL SALVADOR	22	13	0	2	1	6
ETHIOPIA	1	1	0	0	0	0
FINLAND	1	0	1	0	0	0
FRANCE	30	26	2	2	0	0
FRENCH SOUTHERN AND ANTARCTIC LANDS						
GERMANY	2,336	1,508	492	84	233	17
GIBRALTAR	1	0	1	0	0	0
GREECE	43	24	14	2	1	2
GREENLAND	1	0	1	0	0	0

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PLACE OF CASUALTY	TOTAL DEATHS	NON HOSTILE DEATHS				HOSTILE DEATHS	
		ACCIDENT	ILLNESS	HOMICIDE	PENDING	SELF INFILCTED	ALL CAUSES
GRENADE	16	1	0	0	1	0	14
GUATEMALA	3	3	0	0	0	0	0
GULF OF MEXICO	23	22	1	0	0	0	0
GULF OF OMAN	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
GULF OF SIAM	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
GULF OF ST. LAWRENCE	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
HONDURAS	48	41	3	3	0	0	1
HONG KONG	6	3	2	0	0	1	0
HUNGARY	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
ICELAND	8	3	4	0	1	0	0
INDIA	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
INDIAN OCEAN	81	71	7	0	2	1	0
INDONESIA	2	1	1	0	0	0	0
IONIAN SEA	5	5	0	0	0	0	0
IRAN	8	8	0	0	0	0	0
IRAQ	71	20	2	0	1	0	48
IRELAND	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
ISRAEL	35	32	2	0	1	0	0
ITALY	268	194	50	5	10	8	1
JAMAICA	3	1	0	1	1	0	0
JAPAN	417	266	91	16	31	13	0
KENYA	3	3	0	0	0	0	0
KOREA, DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC (N)	6	2	3	0	1	0	0

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PLACE OF CASUALTY	TOTAL DEATHS	NON HOSTILE DEATHS			HOSTILE DEATHS	
		ACCIDENT	ILLNESS	HOMICIDE	INFILCTED	PENDING
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF (S)	346	207	93	9	35	2
KUWAIT	26	11	0	1	0	0
LAKE HURON	1	1	0	0	0	0
LEBANON	268	8	0	0	1	1
LUXEMBOURG	3	3	0	0	0	0
MALAYSIA	4	3	1	0	0	0
MEXICO	40	29	2	6	1	2
MOROCCO	1	1	0	0	0	0
NAMIBIA	1	1	0	0	0	0
NEPAL	1	0	1	0	0	0
NETHERLANDS	28	18	7	0	3	0
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES	1	1	0	0	0	0
NEW ZEALAND	1	1	0	0	0	0
NORTH ATLANTIC OCEAN	226	202	8	2	7	7
NORTH PACIFIC OCEAN	165	139	14	0	6	6
NORTH SEA	13	13	0	0	0	0
NORWAY	13	10	3	0	0	0
NORWEGIAN SEA	1	1	0	0	0	0
OMAN	3	2	1	0	0	0
PAKISTAN	5	2	1	0	1	1
PANAMA	173	110	17	10	11	23
PARAGUAY	4	2	0	1	1	0

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PLACE OF CASUALTY	TOTAL DEATHS	NON HOSTILE DEATHS			HOSTILE DEATHS	
		ACCIDENT	ILLNESS	HOMICIDE	SELF INFILCTED	PENDING
PERSIAN GULF	67	12	0	0	0	1
PHILIPPINE SEA	6	3	1	0	1	0
PHILIPPINES	233	132	66	20	12	3
POLAND	3	3	0	0	0	0
PORTUGAL	13	6	5	0	2	0
RED SEA	5	4	1	0	0	0
SAUDI ARABIA	203	104	20	1	8	2
SEA OF JAPAN	3	2	1	0	0	0
SINGAPORE	3	1	1	0	0	1
SOMALIA	31	2	0	0	1	0
SOUTH ATLANTIC OCEAN	3	2	0	0	1	0
SOUTH CHINA SEA	28	26	2	0	0	0
SOUTH PACIFIC OCEAN	13	13	0	0	0	0
SPAIN	158	117	20	8	10	2
SRI LANKA	2	0	1	0	1	0
ST. CHRISTOPHER & NEVIS ISLANDS	1	1	0	0	0	0
ST. HELENA ISLAND	1	1	0	0	0	0
SULU SEA	12	12	0	0	0	0
SWITZERLAND	5	4	1	0	0	0
THAILAND	23	13	5	2	0	3
TUNISIA	1	1	0	0	0	0
TURKEY	88	63	14	5	5	1
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES	21	16	4	0	0	0

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TABLE 9
WORLDWIDE U. S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
BY PLACE OF CASUALTY AND CASUALTY GROUP
OCTOBER 1979 THROUGH MARCH 1984

PLACE OF CASUALTY	TOTAL DEATHS	NON HOSTILE DEATHS			DEATHS SELF INFILCTED		HOSTILE DEATHS ALL CAUSES
		ACCIDENT	ILLNESS	HOMICIDE	PENDING		
UNITED KINGDOM	253	155	57	2	38	1	0
WESTERN MEDITERRANEAN	37	32	3	0	2	0	0
WESTERN SAMOA	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
YELLOW SEA	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
YUGOSLAVIA	1	0	0	0	0	1	0
ZAIRE	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
U. S. AND TERRITORIES							
UNITED STATES	21,040	12,440	3,917	1,312	3,071	288	2
AMERICAN SAMOA	7	6	1	0	0	0	0
FED. STATES OF MICRONESIA	2	1	0	0	1	0	0
GUAM	117	70	18	12	13	4	0
MISC. PACIFIC ISLANDS	2	1	1	0	0	0	0
PUERTO RICO	83	42	21	8	8	4	0
U. S. VIRGIN ISLANDS	11	6	2	3	0	0	0
TOTAL DEATHS	27,828	16,810	5,041	1,518	3,536	393	530

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TABLE 10
WORLDWIDE U.S. ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY DEATHS
SELECTED MILITARY OPERATIONS AND INCIDENTS

MILITARY OPERATION/ INCIDENT	CASUALTY TYPE	USA	USN	USAF	USMC	TOTAL
IRANIAN HOSTAGE RESCUE MISSION APRIL 25, 1980	NONHOSTILE	0	0	5	3	8
LEBANON PEACEKEEPING, AUGUST 25, 1982 - FEBRUARY 26, 1984 *	HOSTILE NONHOSTILE TOTAL	3 5 8	19 2 21	0 0 0	232 2 234	254 9 263
URGENT FURY, GRENADA, 1983	HOSTILE NONHOSTILE TOTAL	11 1 12	4 0 4	0 0 0	3 0 3	18 1 19
AIRLINE BOMBING OVER LOCKERBIE, SCOTLAND DECEMBER 21, 1988	NONHOSTILE	12	0	3	0	15
JUST CAUSE, PANAMA, 1989	HOSTILE	18	4	0	1	23
PERSIAN GULF WAR, 1990 - 1991						
DESERT SHIELD	NONHOSTILE	21	36	9	18	84
DESERT STORM	HOSTILE NONHOSTILE TOTAL	97 106 203	6 14 20	20 6 26	24 26 50	147 152 289
DESERT SHIELD/STORM	TOTAL	224	56	35	68	383
RESTORE HOPE/UNOSOM, SOMALIA, 1992 - 1994	HOSTILE NONHOSTILE TOTAL	27 4 31	0 0 0	0 8 8	2 2 4	28 14 43
* PLACE OF CASUALTY, LEBANON						

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GLOSSARY OF TERMS

Active Duty. Full-time duty in active Military Service, regardless of duration or purpose. The term includes active duty for training.

Active Duty for Training. A tour of active duty that is used for training members of the reserve components to provide trained units and qualified persons to fill the needs of the Military Services in time of war or national emergency, and such other times as national security requires. The tour of duty is under orders that provide for return to nonactive duty status when the period of active duty for training is completed. It includes annual training, special tours of active duty for training, school tours, and the initial tour performed by nonprior Service enlistees.

Casualty. Any person who is lost to the organization by reasons of having been declared dead, missing, captured, interned, wounded, injured, or seriously ill.

Hostile, Hostile Conditions, or Hostile Actions. Meets the requirements of a battle casualty. A battle casualty is any casualty incurred in action. "In action" characterizes the casualty status as having been the direct result of hostile action; sustained in combat or relating thereto; or sustained going to or returning from a combat mission, provided that the occurrence was directly related to hostile action. Included are persons killed or wounded mistakenly or accidentally by friendly fire directed at a hostile force or what is thought to be a hostile force. However, injuries due to the elements or self-inflicted wounds and, except in unusual cases, wounds or deaths inflicted by a friendly force while the individual is in an absent-without-leave or dropped from the rolls status, or who is voluntarily absent from a place of duty, are not to be considered as sustained in action and are, thereby, not to be interpreted as battle casualties.

Died. Active duty military personnel lost to their organization by reason of having been declared dead.

Missing. Active duty military personnel who are not present at their duty station due to apparent involuntary reasons and whose location is not known. Excluded are personnel who are in an absent-without-leave or deserter status, or those who have been dropped from the rolls of their Military Service.

Captured or Interned. Active duty military personnel who have been detained as the result of action of an unfriendly military or paramilitary force in a foreign country.

Returned to Military Control (RMC). Active duty military person previously missing, captured, or interned who have been returned to U.S. military authority.